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QUOTE S E C R E T CAIRO 09484

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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PEPR, EG, IS
SUBJECT: WEIZMAN-GAMASY CONTACTS

REF: CAIRO 9446

1. VP MUBARAK TELEPHONED ON SECURE LINE 2000 THIS EVENING.
HE WANTED TO KNOW IF I HAD HEARD BEGIN ANNOUNCEMENT THAT
DAYAN IS BEING SENT TO WASHINGTON AND WEIZMAN TO CAIRO.
WHEN I SAID I HAD NOT HEARD IT, MUBARAK INDICATED BEGIN
ANNOUNCEMENT HAD BEEN BROADCAST FROM JERUSALEM SHORTLY
BEFORE.

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2. MUBARAK THEN SAID SADAT WANTS PRESIDENT CARTER TO KNOW
THAT GAMASY HAD YESTERDAY RECEIVED A NEW MESSAGE FROM
WEIZMAN (REFTEL). GAMASY HAD REPORTED IT TO THE VP FOR
SADAT THIS MORNING. WEIZMAN'S MESSAGE HAD INDICATED THAT
HE WISHED DISCREETLY TO COME TO CAIRO TO DISCUSS PEACE
PROCESS. SADAT HAD INSTRUCTED HIM INFORM GAMASY TO SEND
A REPLY THAT WEIZMAN IS WELCOME IN CAIRO AT 1130 THURSDAY,

MARCH 30. A MEETING WITH SADAT IS SCHEDULED FOR 1200 THAT SAME DAY. MUBARAK WAS IN THE PROCESS OF INSTRUCTING GAMASY TO SEND THIS REPLY WHEN BEGIN'S PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT WAS HEARD. MUBARAK INDICATED, HOWEVER, THAT DECISION TO RECEIVE WEIZMAN ON THURSDAY WILL STAND. GOE, HE SAID, DOES NOT INTEND PUBLICLY TO ANNOUNCE THE VISIT.

3. SADAT WANTS PRESIDENT CARTER TO KNOW THAT HE WILL SEND A COMPREHENSIVE REPORT OF THE TALKS WITH WEIZMAN IMMEDIATELY AFTER THEY HAVE BEEN CONCLUDED.

4. COMMENT: APPARENTLY GAMASY'S RECOMMENDATION MENTIONED REFTEL WAS NOT ACCEPTED AND SADAT HAD DECIDED EVEN BEFORE BEGIN ANNOUNCEMENT TO RECEIVE WEIZMAN NEXT FEW DAYS. EILTS. UNQUOTE COOPER

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